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In re application of: : Charles R. Spinner, III, et al.
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Filed : May 31, 2001
For : BARRIER FILM DEPOSITION OVER METAL FOR
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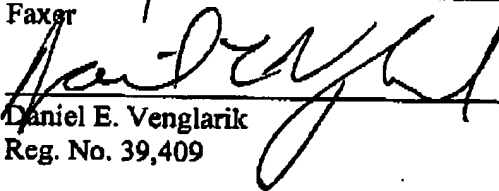
Sir:

The undersigned hereby certifies that the following documents:

1. Amendment and Response to Final Office Action; and
2. Petition for Extension of Time (in duplicate)

relating to the above application were faxed to (703) 872-9306 on June 16, 2005.Date: 6/16/05

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

A one month extension of time is believed to be required. By separate Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$120.00 for the one-month extension fee, or any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Davis Munck Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

No further fees are believed to be necessary; however, in the event that any additional fees are required for the prosecution of this application, please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0208. No further extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an

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additional extension of time is needed, the extension is requested and please charge the fee for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

In response to the final Office Action dated February 16, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: